

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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SERIAL NO.:	09/837,217	)	GROUP ART UNIT:	1633
FILED:	April 19, 2001	)	EXAMINER:	Nguyen Quang
TITLE:	COMPOSITIONS AND METHODS FOR THE REPAIR OF BONES AND OTHER TISSUE			
DATE:	August 2, 2007		CUSTOMER NO.:	26565

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**REQUEST FOR WITHDRAWAL AS ATTORNEY (37 C.F.R. § 10.40(c))**

**REQUEST FOR PERMISSION TO WITHDRAW**

1. I, an attorney signing below, respectfully request permission to withdraw from all further responsibility in this case, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.36.

☐ Because the amendment referred to in item 4A(iii) below is a continuing application signed only by an attorney named below under 37 C.F.R. § 1.60(b) or 37 C.F.R. § 1.62(c), this withdrawal request is also for such continuing application.

**LAST KNOWN ADDRESS OF CLIENT**

2. The last known mailing address of the inventor(s) or assignee(s) of the entire interest is:

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### BASIS FOR WITHDRAWAL REQUEST

3. The basis for the request for withdrawal is 37 C.F.R. 10.40(c)(5)–(6).  
Mayer, Brown, Rowe & Maw LLP has decided to withdraw.

### ALLOWANCE OF TIME FOR CLIENT TO ACT

4. Status of this Application

A. Response due *(if any)*

- (i) ☒ There is no outstanding term for response.  
(ii) ☐ There is an outstanding term for response that is set to expire on \_\_\_\_\_.  
The above term is extendible under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), until \_\_\_\_\_ and the fees for such extension are not being submitted herewith.

B. Time Left for Response

Therefore, the amount of time for response, including extension under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) is:

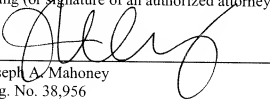
- ☐ at least until \_\_\_\_\_.  
☐ cannot be calculated because this case is/will now be awaiting action by the PTO.

### NOTIFICATION OF CLIENT

5. In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 10.40(a), a copy of this request, including any attachments, is being sent to the client. A copy of the letter to the client is attached.

### SIGNATURE(S) OF WITHDRAWING ATTORNEY(S)

6. Signature(s) of the attorney(s) withdrawing (or signature of an authorized attorney on behalf of an attorney withdrawing)

  
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